

# Basic Detail Report

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## Headdress

### Date

20th Century

### Primary Maker

Yao

### Medium

Silver, fabric, wool, and beads

### Description

The Yao people are actually a group of approximately thirty different cultures. Together this group numbers over two million people, the majority of which reside in the Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region of China. Each group has different traditional dress and adornments, thus making it difficult to know exactly which specific culture made or used this headdress. Combs of metal or bone were typically worn in conjunction with headdresses such as this.

### Dimensions

16 1/2 × 13 × 7 3/4 in. (41.9 × 33 × 19.7 cm)